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Our Case No. 10519-57

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)		
Herner et al.	)		
Serial No.:	)	Examiner:	T. Magee
09/928,975	)		
Filed:	)	Group Art Unit:	2811
August 13, 2001	)		
For:	)		
Low Resistivity Titanium Silicide	)		
on Heavily Doped Semiconductor	)		

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

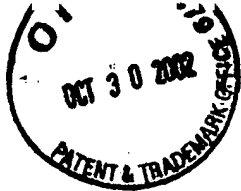
Dear Sir:

Please enter the following amendment and remarks in response to the Office Action mailed August 6, 2002.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace the paragraph on page 3, lines 14-25 with the following paragraph.

Appendix A (at Tab A) contains a marked-up version of that paragraph showing the changes being made.



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TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Case No. 10519-57
Serial No. 09/928,975	Filing Date August 13, 2001	Examiner T. Magee	Group Art Unit 2811
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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is Transmittal Letter (in duplicate); Amendment; and Return Postcard.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ Petition for a \_\_\_\_\_ month extension of time.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

					Small Entity		or	Other Than Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee		Rate	Add'l Fee
Total		Minus			x \$9=			x \$18=	
Indep.		Minus			x 42=			x \$84=	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+\$140=			+ \$280=	
					Total add'l fee	\$		Total add'l fee	\$

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- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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